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Stacey M. Gage

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For: DESIGN AND EXECUTION OF A TARGET
SYSTEM THAT INCLUDES A COMPONENT
MODEL

Examiner: J. C. Ochoa

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the non-final Office Action dated January 17, 2008 (Paper No. 20080110), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 15 of this paper.